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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of :  
Bernd HANSEN : PATENT  
Serial No.: : Art Unit:  
Filed: Herewith : Examiner:  
For: **STAMPING DEVICE** :

**PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT**

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Preliminary to examination and calculation of the filing fee, please amend the above-identified application, as follows: